IN THE HIGH COURT OF KERALA AT ERNAKULAM

PRESENT :

THE HONOURABLE MR. JUSTICE PIUS C.KURIAKOSE

TUESDAY, THE 13TH MARCH 2007 / 22ND PHALGUNA 1928

WP(C).No. 8396 of 2007(Y)

PETITIONER:

E.S.JOSEPH, AGED 54 YEARS,
S/O.LATE E.J.SAMUEL, DRIVER,
K.S.R.T.C., THIRUVALLA UNIT, THIRUVALLA.

BY ADV. SRI.T.M.RAMAN KARTHA
SRI.K.G.RAJANIKANTH

RESPONDENT:

KERALA STATE TRANSPORT CORPORATION(K.S.R.T.C.),
CHIEF OFFICE AT TRANSPORT BHAVAN, FORT,
THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, REPRESENTED
BY ITS MANAGING DIRECTOR.

BY ADV.MR.K.PRABHAKARAN, S.C., K.S.R.T.C.

THIS WRIT PETITION (CIVIL) HAVING COME UP FOR ADMISSION ON 13/03/2007, THE COURT ON THE SAME DAY DELIVERED THE FOLLOWING:

PIUS C. KURIAKOSE,J.

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W.P.(C)No.8396 of 2007

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Dated: 13th March, 2007

JUDGMENT

Adv.Mr.K.Prabhakaran, Standing Counsel takes notice on behalf of the K.S.R.T.C.

2. The grievance of the petitioner who is a driver of the K.S.R.T.C. is that even after he rejoined service after expiry of the leave which he had availed without allowance for taking up employment abroad, his seniority has been overlooked in the matter of giving promotions. I do not propose to examine the genuineness of the above grievance. Ext.P1 representation has been submitted by the petitioner before the Managing Director of the K.S.R.T.C. The Managing Director of the K.S.R.T.C. will take up Ext.P1, hear the petitioner and take a decision on Ext.P1 at the earliest and at any rate within two months of receiving a copy of this judgment together with a copy of the Writ Petition and all the exhibits. It is open to the petitioner to place before the respondent all judicial precedents upon which the petitioner relies for seeking relief.

The Writ Petition will stand disposed of as above.

srd **PIUS C.KURIAKOSE, JUDGE**